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Summary statement by the Secretary-General on matters of which the Security Council is seized and on the stage reached in their consideration**Addendum**

Pursuant to rule 11 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the Secretary-General is submitting the following summary statement.

The list of items of which the Security Council is seized is contained in documents S/2006/10 of 1 March 2006, S/2006/10/Add.12 of 7 April 2006, S/2006/10/Add.15 of 28 April 2006, S/2006/10/Add.16 of 5 May 2006, S/2006/10/Add.21 of 9 June 2006, S/2006/10/Add.24 of 30 June 2006, S/2006/10/Add.27 of 21 July 2006, S/2006/10/Add.31 of 18 August 2006 and S/2006/10/Add.36 of 22 September 2006.

During the week ending 14 October 2006, the Security Council considered at its 5547th meeting, held in private on 9 October 2006, the question of the recommendation for the appointment of the Secretary-General of the United Nations.

In accordance with rule 55 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the following communiqué was issued through the Secretary-General in place of a verbatim record:

At its 5547th meeting, held in private on 9 October 2006, the Security Council considered the question of the recommendation for the appointment of the Secretary-General of the United Nations.

The Security Council adopted by acclamation the following resolution:

The Security Council,

Having considered the question of the recommendation for the appointment of the Secretary-General of the United Nations,

Recommends to the General Assembly that Mr. Ban Ki-moon be appointed Secretary-General of the United Nations for a term of office from 1 January 2007 to 31 December 2011.

Also during the week ending 14 October 2006, the Security Council took action on the following items:



The situation in Afghanistan (see S/1994/20/Add.1, 31, 31 and 47; S/1996/15/Add.6, 14, 38, 41 and 42; S/1997/40/Add.15, 27 and 50; S/1998/14/Add.14, 28, 31, 34, 37 and 49; S/1999/25/Add.33, 40 and 41; S/2000/40/Add.13 and 50; S/2001/15/Add.23, 31, 46, 49 and 51; S/2002/30/Add.2, 4, 5, 8, 10, 12, 16, 20, 24, 25, 28, 37, 43, 47, 49 and 51; S/2003/40/Add.4, 8, 12, 18, 24, 41 and 42; S/2004/20/Add.2, 12, 14, 21, 28, 34, 37, 39, 41 and 45; S/2005/15/Add.1, 11, 24, 33, 36 and 46, and S/2006/10/Add.2, 5, 6, 10, 11, 29 and 36)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5548th (private) meeting, held on 9 October 2006 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

At the close of the meeting, in accordance with rule 55 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the following communiqué was issued through the Secretary-General in place of a verbatim record:

At its 5548th meeting, held in private on 9 October 2006, the Security Council considered the item entitled "The situation in Afghanistan".

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Afghanistan, Finland, Germany, the Islamic Republic of Iran and Pakistan to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Tom Koenigs, Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Afghanistan and Head of the United Nations Assistance Mission in Afghanistan, and Antonio Maria Costa, Executive Director of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime.

Members of the Council, Mr. Koenigs, Mr. Costa and the representatives of Afghanistan and Pakistan had an exchange of views.

The situation in Georgia (see S/23370/Add.40; S/25070/Add.4, 26, 27, 31, 34, 37, 42, 44, 45 and 51; S/1994/20/Add.4, 8, 9, 11, 15, 25, 28 and 47; S/1995/40/Add.1, 10, 18 and 32; S/1996/15/Add.1, 16, 27 and 42; S/1997/40/Add.4, 18, 30 and 44; S/1998/44/Add.4, 21, 30 and 47; S/1999/25/Add.3, 17, 29 and 44; S/2000/40/Add.4, 18, 29 and 45; S/2001/15/Add.5, 12, 17, 31 and 44; S/2002/30/Add.4 and 30; S/2003/40/Add.4 and 30; S/2004/20/Add.4, 8, 17 and 30; S/2005/15/Add.3, 11, 17 and 29, and S/2006/10/Add.3, 4, 12 and 27)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5549th meeting, held on 13 October 2006 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the report of the Secretary-General on the situation in Abkhazia, Georgia (S/2006/771).

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Georgia and Germany, at their request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote.

The President drew attention to a draft resolution (S/2006/804) submitted by France, Germany, the Russian Federation, Slovakia and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/2006/804, and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1716 (2006) (for the text, see S/RES/1716 (2006), to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1 August 2006-31 July 2007*).

International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 (see S/1998/44/Add.28, 31 and 39; S/1999/25/Add.19; S/2001/15/Add.13; S/2002/30/Add.32, 40 and 49; S/2003/40/Add.12, 17, 30 and 43, and S/2006/10/Add.23 and 34)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5550th meeting, held on 13 October 2006 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it a letter dated 2 October 2006 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/799).

The President drew attention to a draft resolution (S/2006/803) that had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/2006/803, and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1717 (2006) (for the text, see S/RES/1717 (2006), to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1 August 2006-31 July 2007*).

Non-proliferation/Democratic People's Republic of Korea

The Security Council met to consider the item at its 5551st meeting, held on 14 October 2006 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea and the Republic of Korea, at their request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote.

The President drew attention to a draft resolution (S/2006/805) that had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/2006/805, and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1718 (2006) (for the text, see S/RES/1718 (2006), to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1 August 2006-31 July 2007*).